

SENATE REPUBLICAN CONFERENCE RICK SANTORUM, CHAIRMAN KAY BAILEY HUTCHISON, VICE CHAIRMAN

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SANTORUM LAUDS THE ANNOUNCMENT OF SRC INTRANET BEING NAMED ONE OF THE BEST WORLDWIDE

Washington, D.C.- U.S. Senator Rick Santorum, (R-PA), Chairman of the Senate Republican Conference, announced that the Senate Republican Conference (SRC) intranet has been selected as one of the "10 best government intranets".

The Nielsen Norman Group that selects intranet designs from governments of five countries chose the intranet site among other sites.

"I am pleased that our intranet site has been chosen as one the best government sites worldwide," said Senator Santorum. "This report reaffirms that we are achieving our objective of communicating to our community in a seamless and effective manner."

"Consistent with its goal to communicate, the Senate Republican Conference intranet is available for many staff members around the nation, on multiple devices. The inventive features, exhaustive content and consistent navigation make this a winning government intranet," said usability expert Jakob Nielsen, founder and principal of Nielsen Norman Group.

The report reaffirmed the goal that the intranet has taught valuable lessons in development and design. The report was released worldwide.

The SRC is the formal organization of the 51 Republican Senators and third ranking leadership office in the United States Senate and has a mission of shaping the opinions and activities of Senate Republicans. Today the SRC assists Republican Senators by providing a full range of communications services including Web, Graphics, Radio, and Television support, and strives to increase communication effectiveness nationwide.

"I also look forward to receiving next year's report which will not only have the SRC intranet mentioned again as a top communicator; but to have even more communications capabilities which have been proven to be critical in achieving continued success," Santorum concluded.

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